

You may not see the bearing of what I have said, but I think you will find it very well chosen. It has a very close and intimate bearing, for exactly as it is with the professional men, so it is in dealing with the great business men. Just as the professional men are guilty of property and of the abuses committed by the men of means, the questions which I have just asked are the same in connection with what we have to deal in dealing with our great industrial centers. The great question is, is there anything which should like to eradicate from the channels of commerce the practice of paying a certain mean admiration and homage to the man who, whether he is a politician or a business man, has made the most of sacrificing all those principles for the sake of making a fortune? Is it not a very real and, in many cases, a possible achievement of success on the part of many who compensate. That applies to the man who has made a fortune by bribery and chicanery and sharp dealing, who by means of public office, by influence, by the use of the law, by the use of the law, rises to his station, as it were, and makes a fortune, not legitimately, but illegitimately, in some form of swindling, which is a crime, and who can count upon having, from the public, a certain homage that would be gained by the respected business man whose success is due to his own qualities, to the comparison of his own man to himself.

To the men who conduct such a life, and who are well known to the men who

**CUBAN ANNEXATIONIST PLAN.**

A suggestion as to the Distribution of the \$3,000,000 Fund.

The Cuban-American League that is composed largely of Cubans who favor annexation of Cuba by the United States has today sent messages to President McKinley yesterday.

"HAVANA, May 15, 1898.—An irretrievable rupture occurs preventing the payment of the \$3,000,000 fund available for advancing revolutionary actual participants in the field. The Cuban American League would urge that a method be devised whereby the Government could purchase the land and farm animals to help reorganize industries. The plan would be to repurchase the land of soldiers participating for the value the same as they would have paid."

**Three Tooth Requisites.**

A good deal of talk is going on here tonight about Autopneumatic Tooth Powder. At all druggists.—Ad.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Secretary Ayer said this evening that he had not received any word from Gen. Maximino Gomez, but that Gen. Maximino Gomez had informed Major Brooke that he was willing to accept Major Brooke as the representative of the Cuban Army in the distribution of the \$3,000,000 furnished by the United States to pay the Cuban soldiers. Gen. Brooke has kept the War Department informed of all the progress that he makes in his efforts to get the money distributed to the Cuban army. He has been for a distribution of the money, but there has been a feeling here that a break was coming. It was felt that the army was somewhat worried over the news, they apparently take a very conflicting view of the situation. It was felt that the army was not in the hands of the United States, and that the disgruntled Generals of the Cuban army were going to get the money for themselves and army men to the United States.

The vacillating policy pursued by the United States in dealing with the independence of the Administration. That the efforts of the Administration to bring about a settlement of the Cuban question are being frustrated by the policy of opposition to the United States is freely admitted, and some of the leading officials of the Government are expressing their opinion that a continuance of the existing situation will lead to some day the United States will be forced to annexation of the island to the United States. Until Gen. Brooke is able to get the money distributed to the Cuban army, the Government and it is probable that consideration of it will be postponed until President McKinley's return from the Sagadahoc.

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Poland to a common Christian brotherhood.

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**The President Expects to Welcome Home Western Regiments from the Philippines.**

**HOT SPRINGS, Va., May 15.**—Congressman Fletcher of Minnesota came here today to inspect the President's speaking tour of Minnesota and the list of places which he will visit on his contemplated Western trip. After seeing the President he sent the following despatch to Senator Davis at St. Paul:

"The President greatly appreciates the cordial invitation extended to him by the citizens of Minnesota and the commercial bodies of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Unless unforeseen circumstances intervene, he will accept the invitation and intention to come to Minnesota, either in connection with a Western trip, or (otherwise) after his return from the Philippines. Minnesota and other Western regiments returning from the Philippines will be met at St. Paul."

Chapin Brown, a Washington lawyer, also came to talk over with the President the plans for his speaking tour. He will leave for St. Paul 23-25. The President has promised to take part in the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the President's may return to Washington as early as Thursday, but owing to the flu epidemic he may postpone it. He will then and recreation became for he may remain a day or two later. This morning he took a drive with Mrs. McKinley.

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Is the President's native water in the world's oldest lake?

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will put on three boats monthly to Liverpool and London, and on the same day North American Transport Company will on three boats monthly to Hamburg, two to Rotterdam, London and one coast motor to Rotterdam. A passenger service may be started later.

**ALLOWED HIS DOGS TO BURN.**

**John Welch's Reason for Not Trying to Save Fifty-five Valuable Pets.**

**BOSTON.** May 15—John Welch, who lost last five valuable dogs by the burning of his kennels at Brighton last Friday, says that he did not leave his kennels because the flames reached them, and that he might have saved the whole lot. He did not release the dogs because he had no time to do so. He says that he would have saved the dogs if he had not been so busy saving the house, and that he would have saved the dogs if he had not been so busy saving the house. He says that he would have saved the dogs if he had not been so busy saving the house, and that he would have saved the dogs if he had not been so busy saving the house.

**The Briggs Controversy**

Hingham has denied of the divine inspiration of the Bible. He has denied the authority of the church of the Episcopal of the Bible by the greatest Biblical scholar in America. Address Road, Mead & Co., 111 Broadway, New York.

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minutes later they began to close around us. I saw the direction from which the bullet came and I fired back. In the air, gave a wild yell and immediately dropped again. It was impossible to move because of the barbed wire fences along the road, and under a severe punishment I crawled back to the fence. I tried to get on our flanks in such numbers and to fire at them. According to a retreat was made through the barbed wire fence into the field on the north side of the road. I was the first to get out. Our men began firing again at once. The enemy was not able to get close and increased it, showing that they had been so concerned by our military re-

It was then that I made a good start out to the rear. The hostiles were concealed in the bushes and trees, and I was not protected but the second retreat. These only served as a protection from the enemy, and I was not able to get out. I was west and lost in a destructive fire that could not be avoided. I was here that the enemy was killed. At this place, Lieutenant Freeman was killed. And also a horse and a mule were killed. Two friends were also shot here.

It was the very beginning of the attack at Shiloh. In the first hour of the attack, the enemy in a log and rendered helpless. He was placed in a position where he could not move. I advanced down the road. When the retreat through the first wire fence was made he was in a position where he could not move. I advanced through the other wire fence, and with the